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To assist the Examiner, the document is are listed on the attached form PTO-1449. It is respectfully requested that an Examiner initialed copy of this form be returned to the undersigned.

In addition, applicants hereby submit the English translation of the PCT International Preliminary Examination Report (Form PCT/IPEA/409) from the corresponding PCT application in conformance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98.

All of the documents discussed therein were previously cited to the PTO in the Information Disclosure Statement filed in this application on April 21, 2005.

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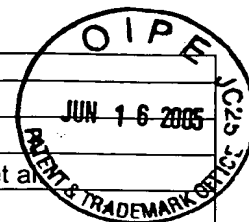
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